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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Yasuyuki SUSA, et al.

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FOR: A COMPOSITION FOR FOOD PROCESSING

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- ☒ Amendment and Request for Reconsideration
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Official Action mailed April 4, 2003 and the Advisory Action mailed July 17, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in light of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.